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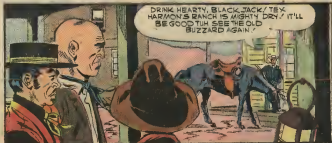


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TEX HARMON DIDN'T KNOW MUCH ABOUT OIL... NO ONE DID IN THOSE DAYS! BUT HE KNEW IT WAS VALUABLE...



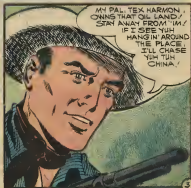
THE SAME MORNING THAT TEX HARMON STRUCK OIL, THERE WERE THREE STRANGERS IN MESQUITE, THE NEAREST TOWN...



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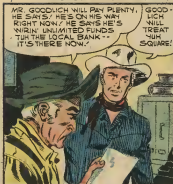
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AFTER STABLING BLACK-JACK, ROCKY LANE CABLED THE OWNER OF AN OIL COMPANY! THE ANSWER CAME PROMPTLY...



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MEANWHILE, ROCKY LANE HAD FINISHED HIS DISCUSSION WITH MR. GOODLUCK, AND HE'D LEARNED THAT LOPER AND SKINN HAD LEFT TOWN. THAT SPILLED TROUBLE! BLACKJACK RAN FASTER THAN EVER BEFORE...



GET BACK, ROCKY! YOU'LL GET ROASTED!

NO, I WON'T! NEITHER WILL YOU!



GET HIM, SKINN.



THE SECRET MARSHAL HAD TO CARRY HIS PAL TO SAFETY... AND FIGHT THE TWO THIEVES AT THE SAME TIME...

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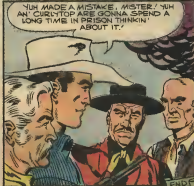


THEM COYOTES RUINED EVERYTHING! ALL MY OIL IS BURNIN' UP!

QUIT WORRYIN', OLD TIMER. YUH GOT MILLIONS OF BARRELS OF OIL UNDER THE GROUND. THEY'LL SINK WELLS FOR IT! YOU'RE STILL RICH!



YUH MADE A MISTAKE, MISTER. YUH AN' CURLYTOP ARE GONNA SPEND A LONG TIME IN PRISON THINKIN' ABOUT IT!



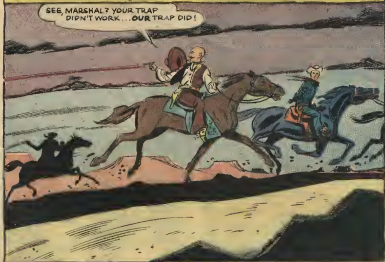
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SIXTO'S RETURN!

WHITEY REGAN'S GANG HAD OPERATED IN TEXAS FOR A LONG TIME BEFORE. THEY POSSESSED BY A LAWMAN TRAPPED THEM IN A PASS NEAR THE RIO GRANDE! FIVE OF THE GANG WERE SHOT UP AND WENT TO THE SCAFFOLD... THE SIXTH NAMED EL SIXTO BY HIS FOLLOWERS, ESCAPED TO THE MEXICAN BADLANDS WHERE HE STARTED A NEW CAREER OF TERROR... A CAREER THAT ENDED ONLY WHEN ROVING MARSHAL ROCKY LANE TOOK A HAND!

SEE, MARSHAL? YOUR TRAP DIDN'T WORK... OUR TRAP DID!



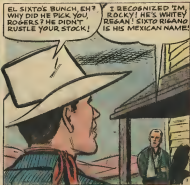
THE ROVING MARSHAL WAS RIDING THE BORDER COUNTRY IN WEST TEXAS... THERE WAS TROUBLE THERE AND HONEST MEN COULDN'T SLEEP AT NIGHT!

IT WAS EL SIXTO'S BUNCH MARSHAL! I GOT A GOOD LOOK AT HIM BEFORE THEY STARTED THROWIN' LEAD!



EL SIXTO'S BUNCH, EH? WHY DID HE PICK YOU, ROGERS? HE DIDN'T RUSTLE YOUR STOCK!

I RECOGNIZED 'IM, ROCKY! HE'S WHITEY REGAN! SIXTO REGAN IS HIS MEXICAN NAME!



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THE BORDER RAIDER HAD STRUCK FOUR TIMES BEFORE HE HIT AL ROGERS' PLACE! ROCKY LANE FINALLY DISCOVERED WHY SIXTO HAD PICKED THEM!

I DON'T KNOW WHY EITHER, ROCKY!

I DO MR. BRIGGS! YOU, ROGERS, AN' THE OTHERS RODE IN A POSSE FOUR YEARS AGO!



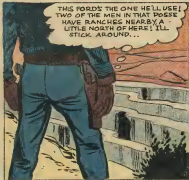
...AN TRAPPED WHITEY REGAN'S GANG! FIVE OF THEM WERE CAPTURED AND SENTENCED TO HANG! REGAN'S THE SIXTH... EL SIXTO, IN BORDER LINGO ...AN NOW I KNOW HOW I'LL CATCH THE HOMBES WHEN HE STRIKES AGAIN!



EL SIXTO'S IN MEXICO RIGHT NOW ...I CONTACTED THE RURALES! THEY'RE WATCHING HIM BUT THEY HAVE NO EVIDENCE YET!



THIS FORD'S THE ONE HE'LL USE! TWO OF THE MEN IN THAT POSSE HAVE RANCHES NEARBY, A LITTLE NORTH OF HERE! I'LL STICK AROUND...



FIVE NIGHTS LATER THE ROVING MARSHAL'S PATIENCE WAS REWARDED...

VAMAMOS, AMIGOS! THE RANCHER NAMED KINGSLEY IS NEXT ON OUR LIST! WE WILL STRIKE AT DAWN!



I'VE GOT TO WARN KINGSLEY! WITH LUCK, I'LL END EL SIXTO'S CAMPAIGN YUH GET REVENGE ON THE POSSE RIGHT SOON!



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BLACKJACK NEVER TRAVELED FASTER THAN HE DID THAT NIGHT... THE ROVING MARSHAL HAD AMPLE TIME TO AWAKEN KINGSLEY AND ALERT HIM FOR THE RAID.

GET YORE WOMEN IN A SAFE PLACE... SIXTO'S GOT HALF A DOZEN MEN WITH HIM! YOU AND I CAN HANDLE 'EM WITH LUCK.

BUT WHY SHOULD HE RAID HERE? I DON'T EVEN KNOW EL SIXTO!



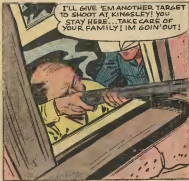
YOU KNOW SIXTO REGANO KINGSLEY! HE USED TUH CALL HIMSELF REGAN! I HEAR HORSES... DOUSE THAT LIGHT!



THEY KNOW WE'RE HERE, HOMBRES! LET 'EM HAVE IT



I'LL GIVE 'EM ANOTHER TARGET TO SHOOT AT, KINGSLEY! YOU STAY HERE... TAKE CARE OF YOUR FAMILY! I'M GOIN' OUT!



HOLD IT, SIXTO! I'M COMIN' OUT!

PABLO, IT'S A LAW-MAN! GET HIM! JUAN... SHOOT THE YANQUI!



STAND 'AN FIGHT, SIXTO!



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IT'S ROCKY LANE...TIE HIS HANDS, GET HIM ON HIS HORSE! WE'RE HEADIN' FOR THE BORDER...IT'S GETTIN' DAYLIGHT, AMIGOS!



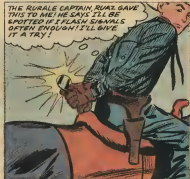
SIXTO REGANO'S MEN TRUSSED THE ROVING MARSHAL. AN HOUR LATER, THE BANDIT CHIEF LED HIS GANG ACROSS THE RIO GRANDE! KINGSLER FOLLOWED BUT HE COULDN'T HELP...

THEY CAN'T HELP YOU NOW, LAWMAN! THIS IS MY TERRITORY

THAT'S YORE STORY, REGAN! THE RURALES WILL ARGUE THAT BETTER THAN I!

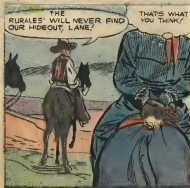


THE RURAL CAPTAIN, RUAL GAVE THIS TO ME! HE SAYS I'LL BE SPOTTED IF I FLASH SIGNALS OFTEN ENOUGH! I'LL GIVE IT A TRY!



THE RURALES' WILL NEVER FIND OUR HIDEOUT, LANE!

THAT'S WHAT YOU THINK!

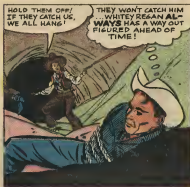


SIXTO REGANO'S BAND HAD A SECRET HIDE-OUT IN THE MEXICAN HILLS! THE RURALES HAD NEVER LOCATED IT...UNTIL THEN!

MARSHAL LANE IS USING THE MIRROR I GAVE HIM! HIS SIGNALS WILL LEAD US TO THE HIDEOUT! WE'LL RIDE!



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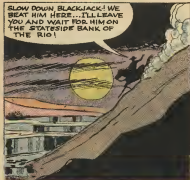
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THE MAN CALLED SIXTO RIGANO WHEN SOUTH OF THE BORDER DID HAVE A WAY OUT! AND ROCKY LANE, WITH BLACKJACK FOLLOWING, FOLLOWED HIM...

THERE HE GOES... HE HAD A SADDLED HORSE HERE WAITING FOR THIS! HE WON'T GET AWAY... NOT WHILE I'VE GOT BLACKJACK!



SLOW DOWN, BLACKJACK! WE BEAT HIM HERE... I'LL LEAVE YOU AND WAIT FOR HIM ON THE STATESIDE BANK OF THE RIO!



I'LL GET... OUCH! MY HAND!



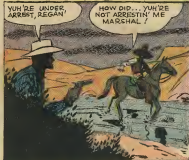
HE'S HEADED FOR THE SAME FORD HE TOOK ME ACROSS AT! I'LL BEAT HIM THERE!



SIXTO RIGANO... FORMERLY WHITEY REGAN... ARRIVED AT THE FORD TWENTY MINUTES LATER.

YUH'RE UNDER ARREST, REGAN!

HOW DID... YUH'RE NOT ARRESTIN' ME MARSHAL!



SIXTO RIGANO... WHITEY REGAN TO THE RANGERS... WAS INDICTED AND HELD FOR TRIAL!

YOU DID MY COUNTRY A GREAT SERVICE, SENOR!

WE GET BAD ONES ON BOTH SIDES OF THE RIO GRANDE, AMIGO! SO LONG AS WE COOPERATE AS WE DID WE WILL CONTROL THE BORDER GANGS!



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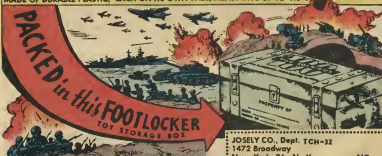
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Na-Chita-Bah

I have known the Old Timer for more than forty years. He spent the last years of his life in charge of the Frontier Museum. I never could figure out his real age. When we gave him a birthday party there was just one big candle on the cake.

"So I passed the century mark," he grinned.

I will tell you the story he related to me a number of years ago. It is of the West, in the days when it was young and the domain of the trapper and the Indian.

"We had encamped in a good neighborhood for game. The reports of rifles in various directions speedily gave notice. One of our hunters soon returned with the meat of a doe tied up in the skin and slung across his shoulders. Another brought a fat buck across his horse. Two other deer were brought in and a number of turkeys. All the game was thrown down in front of the captain's fire to be portioned out among the various messes. The spits and camp kettles were soon in full employ, and throughout the evening there was a scene of hunter's feasting and profusion.

We had been disappointed this day in our hopes of meeting with buffalo, but the sight of the wild horse had been a great novelty, and gave a turn to the conversation of the camp for the evening. There were several anecdotes told of a famous gray horse, which had ranged the prairies of this neighborhood for six or seven years. Setting at naught every attempt of the hunters to capture him.

They say he can pace and rack faster than the fleetest horse can run. Equally marvelous accounts were given of a black horse on the Brazos who grazed the prairies on that river's bank in Texas. For years he outstripped all pursuit. His fame spread far and wide. Offers were made to the amount of a thousand dollars. The boldest and most hard riding hunters tried incessantly to make prize of him but in vain.

The capture of a wild horse is one of the most favorite achievements of the prairie tribes and, indeed, it is from this source that the Indian hunters chiefly supply themselves. The wild horses which range those vast grassy plains, extending from the Arkansas to the Spanish settlements, are of various forms and colors. Some resemble the common English stock and are probably descended from horses which have escaped from our border settlements. Others are of a low but strong make, and are supposed to be of the Andalusian breed brought

out by the Spanish discoverers.

Some fanciful speculatists have seen in them descendants of the Arab stock brought into Spain from Africa and thence transferred to this country. They have pleased themselves with the idea that their sires may have been of the pure coursers of the desert that once carried warlike soldiers across the sandy plains of Araby.

The habits of the Arab seem to have come with the steed: The introduction of the horse on the boundless prairies of the Far West changed the whole mode of living of their inhabitants. It gave them that facility of rapid motion, and of sudden and distant change of place, so dear to the roving nature of man. Instead of lurking in the depths of gloomy forests and patiently threading the mazes of a tangled wilderness on foot, like his brethren of the North, the Indian of the West is a rover of the plain: He leads a brighter and more sunshiny life. Almost always on horseback on vast flowery prairies and under cloudless skies.

I was lying by the captain's fire, late in the evening, listening to the stories about horses and weaving speculations of my own. There was a sudden clamor of voices and a loud cheering at the other end of the camp. Word was passed that Beattie, had brought in a wild horse.

In an instant every fire was deserted. The whole camp crowded to see the Indian and his prize. It was a colt about two years old, well grown, finely limbed, with bright prominent eyes and a spirited yet gentle demeanor. He gazed about with an air of mingled stupefaction and surprise while the Indian stood before him with folded arms. He had hold of the cord — which noosed his captive, and gazed on him with a most imperturbable aspect.

In the eagerness of their excitement, several of the young rangers sought to get the horse by purchase or barter and even offered extravagant terms. But Beattie declined all their offers.

"You give great price now," said he. "Tomorrow you be sorry."

The young men asked the Indian many questions about the way in which he had captured the horse, but his answers were brief. He probably regarded them with a bit of contempt as "greenhorns." Later we were seated around my fire. Beattie relaxed and I think he even smiled a bit. He was definitely proud of the

horse. I asked him to tell me how he acquired the horse for I knew it must have taken a lot of effort and patience to capture a wild horse.

He informed me that, on leaving camp, he had returned to the place where we had lost sight of the wild horses. Soon getting upon its track, he followed it to the banks of the river. Here, the prints being more distinct in the sand, he noticed that one of the hoofs was broken and defective. So he gave up the pursuit.

As he was returning to the camp, he came upon a gang of six horses, which immediately made for the river. He pursued them across the stream and left his rifle on the river bank. Putting his horse to full speed, he soon came up with the wild horses. He attempted to noose one of them, but the lariat hitched on one of their ears, and was shaken off. The horses dashed up a hill. He followed hard at their heels. Then suddenly he saw their tails whisking in the air and they plunged down a precipice. It was too late to stop! He shut his eyes, held in his breath, and went over with them. The descent was between twenty and thirty feet, but they all came down safe upon a sandy bottom.

He now succeeded in throwing his noose around a fine young horse. As he galloped alongside of him, the two horses passed each side of a sapling and the end of the lariat was jerked out of his hand. He regained it but the intervening tree obliged him to again let it go. Having once more caught it, and coming to a more open country, he was enabled to play the young horse with the line until he gradually checked and subdued him so as to lead him to the place where he had left his rifle.

Beatte had another difficulty in getting the horse across the river, where both horses stuck for a time in the mire. He was nearly unseated from his saddle by the force of the current and the struggles of his captive. After much toil and trouble, however, he got across the stream and brought his prize safe into camp.

For the remainder of the evening the camp remained in a high state of excitement. Nothing was talked of but the capture of this wild horse. Every young ranger wanted to go

out and try to get himself a horse. The excitement kept the camp awake later than usual. The hum of voices, interrupted by occasional sounds of laughter, was heard from the groups around the various fires. And night was considerably advanced before all had sunk to sleep.

In the morning, Beatte led his horse by a long halter. The horse appeared to be gentle by nature and had a beautiful mild expression of the eye. In his strange and forlorn situation, the poor animal seemed to seek protection and companionship in the very horse which had aided to capture him!

We watched Beatte as he mounted the horse. Needless to say, the native pride and independence of the animal took fire at this indignity. He reared and plunged, and tried in every way to get rid of his burden, but Beatte just remained in position. Then the horse appeared to sigh. Perhaps man was a friend at that. Beatte dismounted and gently patted the horse on his forehead. Then he took him around. Next he handed his horse an ear of corn which the animal gladly took.

The next morning, Beatte again rode his horse, and he was starting to train him.

"He will be a good buffalo horse," said the Indian with pride in his voice. "We know each other and this is enough."

By the end of the third day, the horse followed voluntarily with the other horses in the camp. Again the young men offered even larger sums of money to Beatte. I thought he might be tempted but he refused all offers.

"One does not sell his friend," was the way he put it. And the two were to be inseparable companions.

But the horse needed a name. We heard Beatte call his horse something which sounded like: Na-chita-Bah. What did it mean? We asked and received the answer: Good Friend. How true, for the horse was the good friend of the trapper and later of the cowboy. The bands of wild horses no longer roam the plains. And the plains are no longer boundless. But as long as there is a kind rider, a path as a trail, then horse and man will be together as it was in the days of the early West."

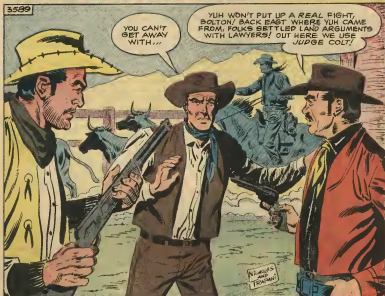
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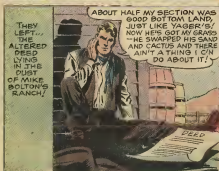
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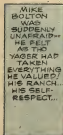
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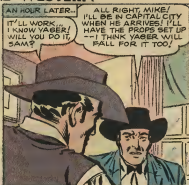
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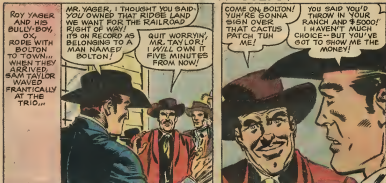
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MIKE BOLTON SPENT THE NEXT FIVE DAYS PRACTICING INCESSANTLY... HE WAS FAST... AND MORE IMPORTANT, CONFIDENT!



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BUT THEY'D FORGOTTEN YAGER... AND THE CROOKED GUNSLINGER WAS READY TO FINISH IT... HIS WAY!



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JACKRABBIT!

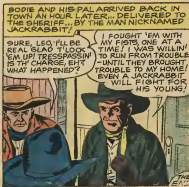
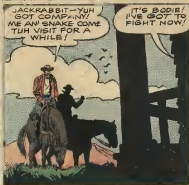
LEO MEYERS WAS KNOWN TO THE GANG AT THE ROUND-UP SALOON AS THE JACK-RABBIT! HE NEVER GOT INTO TROUBLE... HE ALWAYS PLAYED IT SAFE AND GOT OUT OF TOWN WHEN GUNMEN LIKE BODIE OPENED UP!



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Rocky Lane

IN DUDE'S RANCH

LOBO WALES, THE KING OF THE RUSTLERS, HAD THE BIGGEST HAUL OF HIS CAREER NAILED DOWN--THE BIG, GRASS RICH TWO T RANCH WAS ALL HIS... AFTER HE GOT RID OF THE DUDE WHO DIDN'T KNOW A COW FROM A COYOTE! THAT DUDE WAS ROCKY LANE, ROVING MARSHAL--PRETENDING TO BE THE HEIR, JOE MARKEY!



HEY, LOBO, HE'S REALLY TAKING A BOUNCIN' ON THAT OUTLAW! GENTLE AS A KITTEN, I SAID HE WAS! HA, HA!

THAT DUDE IS STICKIN' IN THE SADDLE, AIN'T HE? I GOT A FUNNY FEELIN' ABOUT HIM! I OUGHTA...

THE ROVING MARSHAL WAS RIDING A RATTLER FROM DODGE CITY TO A SMALLER COWTOWN WEST OF THERE! HE HAD MIGHTY PRETTY COMPANY...

I'M GLAD THE CONDUCTOR FINALLY INTRODUCED YOU, MARSHAL! MAYBE YOU KNOW MY FOREMAN, LOBO WALES?

I SURE DO, MISS MARKEY! IS THAT SCOUNDREL YOUR FOREMAN?

SCOUNDREL? NOW YOU WORRY ME, MARSHAL LANE! IT'S TRUE, HIS REPORTS MAKE THE RANCH SOUND RUN DOWN AND VALUELESS--MY UNCLE TOLO ME HE HAD A FINE PLACE WITH THOUSANDS OF CATTLE!

IF LOBO WALES IS AROUND, YOU'VE GOT A LOT LESS! I'VE GOT AN IDEA...



ROCKY LANE WESTERN

TWO HOURS LATER... THE TRAIN WAS PULLING INTO NEWTOWN!



GOODBYE, MR. MARKEY!

THERE'S LOBO WALES! I'M GLAD THE GIRL DIDN'T SIGN HER FIRST NAME TO HER LETTERS TO WALES! HERE GOES!



LOBO WALES? I'M JOSEPH MARKEY, FROM PHILADELPHIA! I'M CERTAINLY... OWWW!

HIYA, BOSS! WHAT'S WRONG? DID I SQUEEZE YORE LITTLE HAND TOO HARD?



THE RUSTLER WAS UP TO AN OBVIOUSLY SIMPLE GAME-- BESIDES SHOWING A WORTHLESS, EMPTY RANCH TO THE NEW OWNER, HE HAD TO MAKE THE WEST LOOK LIKE A GOOD PLACE TO BE FROM... NOT AT...

YES, SIR, BOSS, IT'S GOOD YUH'RE HERE! YUH GOT PROBLEMS!



HEY... YOU'RE WEARIN' COLTS! YUH PLAYIN' COWBOY, DUDE, IS THAT IT?

I... I HEARD EVERYONE WEARS GUNS OUT HERE! THESE ARE USED!



THIS HERE IS A NICE GENTLE HORSE, BOSS! GET ABOARD!

THIS IS GREAT I CAN'T RIDE AS I ORDINARILY WOULD -- IF I DON'T THE OUTLAW WILL DUMP ME HARD! I'LL GIVE IT A TRY!



ROCKY LANE WESTERN

THE ROVING MARSHAL... TRYING HARD TO LOOK LIKE A DUDE-- SCRAMBLED ABOARD! ONCE THERE, THE OUTLAW BUCKED... AND ROCKY GRABBED LEATHER!



YOU GRABBED LEATHER--
LET GO OF THAT SADDLE
HORN!

THIS HORSE IS TIRED
--BUT I GUESS
HE'LL DO! HOW
FAR IS MY RANCH
FROM HERE, LOBO?

ABOUT NINE
MILES, BOSS!
I'LL SHOW
YUH!



ALL THAT LAND IS MINE,
ISN'T IT, LOBO? UNCLE
SENT A CHART OF
WHAT HE... I OWN
BEFORE HE DIED!

YEAH, IT'S
ALL YOURS!



THERE'S YORE RANCH HOUSE--
IT'S A MESS, AIN'T IT? YORE
UNCLE DID A LOT OF BRAGGIN'
BUT HE DIDN'T HAVE MUCH
TO BRAG ABOUT!



MY UNCLE SAID HE HAD A
FINE EIGHT ROOM HOUSE--
HE SAID THERE WERE
BARNES AND BUNK
HOUSES! WHERE
ARE THEY?

THE SAME
PLACES THE
THOUSANDS OF CATTLE
ARE--
NOWHERE!



THIS IS NO PLACE FOR A DUDE, MARKEY!
I'LL GIVE YUH TWO THOUSAND FOR THE
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IF YUH DON'T...



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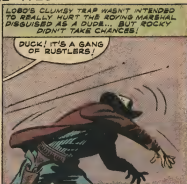
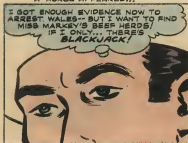
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THE SHOOTING DIDN'T LAST LONG--LOBO SPRUNG THE OFFER ONCE MORE AND ROCKY REFUSED! THEN, HE RODE OFF... LEAVING NO HORSE FOR HIS BOSS! BUT A HORSE APPEARED...



ROCKY LANE WESTERN

LOBO MADE A MISTAKE THEN... HE FIRED AS THE MARSHAL DREW...



IT'S THE DUDE! HEY, MARKEY, WE HEARD SHOTS! DID YUH SEE THE BOSS?

YES, HE'S UNDER ARREST AND SO ARE YOU, MISTER!



HOLD IT, MAC! YUH'RE NOT ARRESTIN' ANYBODY! MOVE ONCE AN' I'LL PERFORATE YUH!



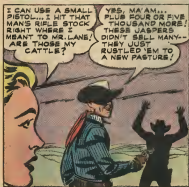
ANOTHER GUN... UNSEEN--CRACKED AND THE BUSHWHACKER'S RIFLE FELL! ROCKY LANE GRABBED HIS CHANCE!

HOLD IT--WE GIVE UP! LOBO MUST BE HURT OR HE'D BE HERE!



I CAN USE A SMALL PISTOL... I HIT THAT MAN'S RIFLE STOCK RIGHT WHERE I MEANT TO MR. LANE! ARE THOSE MY CATTLE?

YES, MA'AM... PLUS FOUR OR FIVE THOUSAND MORE! THESE JASPER DIDN'T SELL MANY-- THEY JUST RUSTLED 'EM TO A NEW PASTURE!



HOW CAN I EVER THANK YOU, ROCKY?

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